

REMARKS

This is a continuation of application Serial No. 09/443,793. Please enter this Preliminary Amendment before calculating the filing fee.

The pending claims are Claims 23-40. Claims 23-27 pertain to the embodiment of Figures 2A and 2B. Claims 28-31 pertain to the embodiment of Figures 6A and 6B. Claims 32-35 pertain to the embodiment of Figures 7A and 7B. And Claims 36-40 pertain to the embodiment of Figures 8A, 8B, 9A, and 9B.

This Preliminary Amendment adds no new matter to the original application. All of the limitations in the new pending claims were either specifically recited in claims of the parent case, or are features that are clearly described and/or illustrated in the original disclosure.

Applicant requests that the present application be examined as amended.